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LOCAL INDUSTRIES.

The British Columbia Soap Works and the Manufacture of Brick.

THE AMOUNT OF BEER ANNUALLY MADE FOR THIS CITY.

Who the Brewers are—Prominent Chinese Firms—New Westminster Matters—A Few Words about Foot Gear Manufactories.

Stair Building.

B. C. Soap Works.

Among the successful industries of Victoria must be mentioned the above works, conducted by Pendray & Co. The business was started in 1875, and five years ago the present commodious buildings were erected.

The main factory is 60x42, two stories, fronting on Humboldt street. On the ground floor is an eight-horse power boiler which supplies the steam for rendering or melting purposes. There are large vats full of sal-soda in a state of crystalization, large quantities of which are sold for washing purposes in laundries, etc. The firm also manufacture the celebrated Champion washing powder for the same purpose.

On the second floor there are about 20 vats; among them are two vats of 1200 pounds each, two of 1400, ten of 1000 and one for blue mottled soap of about 5000 pounds capacity. There is a large tank in which can be melted 4000 pounds of fine tallow for fine soaps. The tallow is melted by steam passing through a coil of tubing. One large kettle has a capacity of 12,000 pounds, and is used in the manufacture of yellow resin soaps. After melting, the ingredients are run through a machine called a crutcheon, for stirring or grinding. It is like a large crank churn, and is run by a small steam engine. A vat or kettle of 5000 pounds capacity is called the "digestor." It is for melting all kinds of grease, and to prevent the escape of offensive smells, it is closed entirely, and the melting done by pressure of twenty pounds of steam. In the rear of the factory is the carpenter shop 60x16 feet, where the soap boxes are made. The wood is brought from Sooke in proper sizes. A blacksmith shop has just been completed. Connected with the factory by a truck, on which a little car is run, is the warehouse, 60x30, with an addition connected, extening 16x24, in which are stored large quantities of soap in boxes. All kinds of common, mottled, rosin and toilet soaps can be found here. About 17,000 pounds of soap are manufactured per week. Five men are now employed.

Everything about the premises is neat and clean, and a visit to the establishment is pleasant and interesting.

Brick Manufacturers.

There are two firms engaged in the manufacture of brick for the supply of the city. Both are situated on the Saanich road. Mr. Humber made last year about 1,350,000 bricks, and expects to make this year about 2,000,000. He is running two gangs, about twenty men; has about eight acres in his yard. His residence is a handsome brick house a short distance from the yard. Adjoining Mr. Humber's yard is that of Coughlan & Mason. The yard covers about five acres. Their motive power is a 14 horse steam engine which drives six mills connected by shafting. Both partners live in houses on the premises and they have a house of sixteen rooms for sleeping accommodation for their employes, of whom they have now about 25 engaged. They make about 24,000 brick per day and expect to burn this season at least 2,500,000. They also manufacture sewer and drain pipes, cornices, etc. The two firms have ample facilities for manufacturing sufficient to meet the present demand.

Breweries.

There are four establishments engaged in manufacturing the "foaming cup" for the thirsty Victorians.

THE VICTORIA BREWERY

was started in 1858 and in '70 the present proprietors, Messrs. Loewen & Erb, purchased it. The property consists of three town lots, corner of Discovery and Government streets, large buildings and suitable plant for manufacturing purposes. The capacity is from 4000 to 5000 barrels per year.

THE PHŒNIX BREWERY

was established about sixteen years ago by its present proprietor, Mr. Chas. Gowen. It is located on the corner of Blanchard and Yates streets in a large brick building. A large trade has been established throughout the city for beer and porter.

THE LION BREWERY

is situated in the north-eastern part of the city. It is an old established business and has secured a fair share of the trade.

Boot and Shoe Factories.

The Belmont Boot and Shoe Factory, situated on Government street, is well worthy of notice. The show and salesroom, presided over by Mr. W. Dalby manager, is well filled with made-up stock. The workroom up stairs, 45x65 feet, a perfect bee-hive of industry, has about 70 workmen actively employed. About 28,000 pairs of boots and shoes were made during last year.

This firm has a large three-story tannery near Esquimalt. The property consists of 540 acres, and the machinery is driven by water power. About six hundred sides of sole, upper and harness leather and a large amount of the finer qualities is made each month, of which the greater part is made up in Victoria. Eight men are emlpoyed in the tannery.

Stair Builder.

The factory of Mr. Gray is located about the corner of Chatham and Government streets. The "self-supporting twin stairs" were invented by him. The factory and workroom is 60x30 feet, two stories. In the rear is the engine room, 20x20 feet, with 12-horse power engine. His business is stair-building, turning, scroll sawing, &c. This is the only factory devoted entirely to this work in the city. On an average from 10 to 12 men are employed.

New Westminster.

British Columbia is justly celebrated, among other things, for its picturesque scenery. Wherever public roads have been opened up, or steamer routes established, the tourist or pleasure seeker can find much to please and instruct him. A trip to New Westminster, the second largest city in the Province, on one of the C. P. Navigation Co.'s steamers gives a traveller an opportunity of seeing some of the best farming land in the Province, and of visiting a prettily situated city. It has been so frequently described that a mention of some of its most striking features must suffice. In approaching the city it is noticed that it is built on a hill on the north bank of the Fraser. The streets, running north and south, have a gentle descent towards the river thus affording good drainage and a chance for a thorough system of sewerage. A walk through the city shows that considerable attention has been paid to grading the streets and building wide substantial sidewalks.

THE SAWMILLS.

Two large sawmills, owned by the Royal City Planing Mills Co. and the Dominion Sawmill Co., are located in the western part of the city. From the great number of men employed by them, the extent of their property, the enormous piles of lumber, sashes, doors, etc., and the general air of activity and business which prevails in that locality it would appear that lumber is one of the principal industries of the city.

CANNERIES.

There are about thirteen canneries in the city and district, but owing to the light run of salmon this year only about one-half will be in operation. On this account fully 1200 men less will be employed in the business.

BUILDINGS.

The Dominion Government has built a fine large building which is used as customs house and postoffice, and the local government has erected a public school building, penitentiary and hospital. Several of the business men have very pretty residences and lawns. A number of new buildings are in course of construction, the principal ones of which are a large three-story brick hotel—the Colonial—and another brick building for stores. There is considerable work going on, but there is still a large number of unemployed men in the city.

RAILWAY PROSPECTS.

When it was decided to make the terminus of the C. P. R. on Burrard Inlet it was generally believed that New Westminster would decline, but a good public road has already been opened to Port Moody and the City Council have taken the preliminary steps towards selling some of the public squares for the purpose of assisting to build a branch line of railway to connect with the C. P. R. With the interests already centered there and with river and rail communication the Royal City should be able to hold its legitimate share of the Mainland trade.

The Chinese.

So much is written about the evils of Chinese immigration, and their habits and cheap manners of living are so apparent, that persons are apt to form the opinion that they all belong to the same class, namely, those who by cheap living amass money and send it out of the country. A visit to Chinatown in this city shows that there are a few of them, at least, who are spending a large amount of money in improvements. A large number of the buildings occupied by them are generally miserable shells and the smell from such places and the adjoining yards is horribly offensive, but some of the new buildings are commodious and well-built. In company with Mr. Moore, of Moore & Chisholm, a reporter of THE TIMES took a ramble and jotted down some notes. The first place visited was what they call the modern

HONG KONG.

This is located on Cormorant street, and has been built since December last. The buildings are mostly of wood, and were built by Messrs. Moore & Chisholm for Kwong Lee & Co. The first block visited was 28x60ft., two stories high, used for stores, then come eight buildings 18x35ft. each, used for stores, tin, barber and various other shops, and a large building known as the

CHINESE THEATRE

The cost of these buildings aggregates about $13,000. The theatre room is 45x80ft., and for comfort completely discounts Philharmonic hall. The seats are in amphitheatre form, circular and elevated, and there is a seating capacity of 700. The gallery, which is also in circular form, will accommodate about 500. In the gallery are several private boxes for the leading men. The theatre alone cost $3,800.

On the south side of the street an old building has been pulled down by order of the fire department and the rubbish is being cleared away and excavation made for a brick block 51x60ft. three-story. There will be three stores. The building will cost about $8,000. Messrs. Moore & Chisholm are the architects and contractors. On the north side is a large brick block, 90 feet front and 51 deep. This belongs to

GOON, GAN & CO.

It has five large stores, and the inside of both stories is well finished. One of the rooms on the second story is for the meetings of the Chinese council, and is furnished with suitable chairs and table. In the centre of the building is an arched doorway and hall leading to where it is proposed to erect a large brick theatre. In the rear is an addition to be used as an opium factory. In it are ten brick furnaces for burning or cooking the drug. This building cost the owners $8,400. Adjoining this block is another one owned by

LOOK, DEN & CO.

This is a two-story brick block, 49x60ft., finished with iron door frames and shutters. There are two large stores on the floor, each having a freight elevator. There is also an opium factory and an opium safe. The latter is brick, lined with iron, and cost $500. The ground on which this building stands is owned by one of our citizens, but the owners of the building have secured a long lease from him. The building, when completed will cost $9,000. The same firm were contractors. This building was built by the Chinese Masons. Mr. Finlayson has built on this street a fine store 25x70ft., two story. It is brick with cement front and will cost nearly $9,000. On Fisgard street several new buildings have been put up, but, with two or three exceptions, they are of a cheaper construction. The total amount will be about $6,000. The merchants are confident that the bulk of the trade in Chinese goods over the Northern and Canada Pacific railroads will be done through the houses here. Victoria is preferred to Seattle or Portland.

THE KING TYE CO.

Have a fine two-story brick which they occupy temporarily on Cormorant street between Store and Government. The house is one of the most substantial (though young) in Victoria and is connected with Tai Soong & Co. The business of the concern is the manufacture of all kinds of clothing and dealing extensively in opium. Their present premises is 32 ft. by 50, two stories and is a solid brick building. It is owned by a Chinese firm in this city. King Tye Co. will soon erect a fine two-story brick of their own which will have introduced into each story all the modern improvements and appliances for carrying on a most extensive manufacturing business. W. Cum Yow, the manager of this firm, is a bright young man, gentlemanly in appearance and most affable in his address. Keen in his perceptions and means business from the moment he puts his eye on a customer. He is a native of British Columbia and has secured a fine education. For a long time past he was manager of Kwong Lee & Co. of Yale; thus he has formed a large country connection.

From a Lady Correspondent.

SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA.

EDITOR TIMES:

Having lately taken a trip from Victoria to San Jose, perhaps some of my impressions of the place may amuse your readers.

The scenery from San Francisco seemed rather flat, after the ruggedness of Vancouver Island; but there are odd little bits of beauty, and the greenness of gardens and fields lovely, the country being well cultivated. San Jose is an extremely pretty city and has a decided look of prosperity about it; there are many fine buildings.

The neighborhood is simply beautiful, the valley of Santa Clara being one continuous garden; the beauty and great variety of the trees, and such roses, I never saw anything more lovely than the Tea roses, Cloth of Gold, &c. The cemetery (three miles from the city) is well laid out; the monuments are of endless variety, the place is kept well, beautiful flowers and no weeds. A grass like velvet—I wish Victoria would follow such a good example. I took a drive with some friends to Santa Clara to see the old adobe church, the walls of which were six feet thick, some rich old carvings on the altars and the pretty painted ceiling, done by Indians, are very curious. One of the Fathers took us through the gardens of the college, which are very tastily laid out.

"With glossy bowers
Of coolest foliage, musical with birds."

There is a great variety of plants and flowers, amongst which various palms, cactii, orange trees laden with fruit, and the century plant are conspicuous; one of the latter is now in flower and is more curious than beautiful.

Perhaps I may tell you at some future time of other nice drives about San Jose, but the day being exceedingly warm, I feel more inclined for the "Dolce far niente" than letter writing.

Yours, truly,
A VICTORIAN LADY.

"Strict Business Men."

This is the season of the year when the business man goes home, tired and hungry, and finds his wife engaged in raking the leaves and rubbish from the front door-yard, when she should be directing her energies toward the preparation of dinner. Of course the business man, whose mind is engrossed with such coarse things as dinner, the price of beef, eggs, and other vulgar things of this world, cannot appreciate the efforts which the worthy dame is putting forth for the ornamentation of home. He seldom finds time to investigate the beauty of the flower-beds, and poetry is something that has long since been eliminated from his mind by contact with the rough realities of life. He couldn't for his life tell a spring daisy from a wild geranium. Nor has he acquired the faculty of discrimination between music and noise. About the only sound that is music to his ears is the monotonous "hello," through the telephone. No, he is a strict business man. Strange that a man should become so engrossed with business as not to be willing to miss his meals for the sake decorating the yard and getting it ready for the beds of flowers. He imagines he is happy, but the truth is he has not experienced the first daylight of happiness. All men are not so created, and humanity is to be congratulated that there is an occasional man who can lift himself up high enough to look over the confines of his life shell and see what other men are doing and what there is of beauty and poetry in this life. We like to meet these tall, sun-crowned men who are willing to devote a little time to the pursuit of pleasure, even at the sacrifice of a few dollars. It is gratifying to know that there are men in Portland, who spend a share of their time in beautifying life and divesting it of much of its seriousness and prosy aspect. Look at the city to-day in its spring habiliments. This city bears some resemblance to a park which sets upon an eminence, that cannot be obscured. It is the point of all points admired by the eastern traveller in his tour for pleasure abroad in the land, so don't quarrel with your wife when you find her beautifying home instead of looking after potatoes, carrots and onions for dinner. Stop awhile in the front yard and study the flowers. Never mind the dinner. Let it go; cultivate your æsthetic nature once in awhile.—*Portland Com. Herald.*

A French dramatist makes one of his characters in a recent play declare that he is "holding up the trowsers of despair with the braces of hope."

CANADIAN NEWS.

Some of the Great Land Districts to be Subdivided.

REGINA, CALGARY, EDMONTON, AND SWIFT CURRENT DESCRIBED AT LENGTH.

Brief Notes from Various Sections.

OTTAWA, May 26.—The onward march of the North-West still continues. Since the season of 1879 the areas surveyed and set out for settlement amount to 3,210,000 acres, equal to 313,800 farms of 160 acres each. Previous to 1879 the areas surveyed and set out for settlement only amounted to 66,520 such farms. It has become necessary in consequence of the demand to divide the North-West into a number of agencies. The Regina district, which has one agency, is now divided into three districts, and for the south or Coteau district, J. J. McHugh, formerly Indian farm superintendent in the North-West Territories, has been appointed Dominion land agent. For the north or Touchwood district, Mr. McTaggart, of North Victoria, Ont., has been appointed land agent. West of Regina district, the Swift Current district has been laid out, and Mr. Wm. H. Hilliard, who has been for some time in the Brandon land office, has been appointed agent at Swift Current, on the line of the Canadian Pacific railway. West of Swift Current district is

CALGARY DISTRICT,

to which Mr. J. HacDonald Gordon, agent at Regina, has been promoted for his efficient services, his place at Regina being taken by Mr. Wm. H. Stevenson, who was at one time agent in the Turtle Mountain county, and has for some time been acting at Nelson. These districts are in the South Saskatchevan and Qu'Appelle plains region, north of Calgary. The region on the South Saskatchewan, from east of Edmonton to the Rockies and north to near the parallel of the fifty-fifth degree, has been erected into the Edmonton lands district, and Mr. E. V. Ganoreau, for some time connected with the Prince Albert agency, has been appointed agent. East of the Edmonton district is the Battleford district, and east of that is the Prince Albert district.

Other appointments are J. A. Hays, assistant agent, Turtle mountain district, promoted to be agent in the same district, and Mr. W. H. Hiam, assistant agent at Nelson, appointed to be agent in the same district, vice Stevenson, promoted.

In 1877 there were three agencies of Dominion lands in all Manitoba and the North-West, one at Winnipeg, one at Emerson and the third at Portage La Prairie. In 1878, on account of settlers pushing their way to the Pembina mountain and the Little Saskatchewan river regions, two more agencies were opened. They were on a limited scale and of a primitive character. One man carrying his tent with him, set it up at what is called the Nelson, and looked with ease after the

LAND HUNGRY SETTLERS

of that region. Another man pitched his tent at a place called Adana, then known as Tanner's Crossing, where two rails crossed each other, and from that convenient locality looked after the land wants of settlers choosing the Little Saskatchewan river region. Since then the Emerson and the Portage Laprairie agencies have been closed, the lands having been disposed of. There are now in Manitoba six Dominion Land agencies, the one in Winnipeg, the agency for Dufferin district, with headquarters at Nelson; the agency for Turtle Mountain district, with headquarters at Deloraine; the Souris River agency with office at Brandon; the Little Saskatchewan River agency with office at Odana, and the Birtle district, with office at Birtle. The original three have become thirteen, and of the original three, two have been closed in consequence of the lands within their circuit having been disposed of.

It may be added that these land divisions have been arranged so that at any future time they may be subdivided, as has been in the case of the original Regina district, whenever it is felt that the convenience of settlers demands such subdivision.

NOTES ON VARIOUS MATTERS.

An Ontario pugilist named Scholes wants to meet Mitchell in the ring.

The Halifax dynamiters have been sentenced to six months imprisonment each.

The outlook for the season of navigation at Montreal is extremely discouraging.

The Toronto Lacrosse Club defeated the St. Regis Indian Club by three games to one.

A fire in the *Mail* office, Toronto, destroyed $25,000 worth of property. The fire is, however, covered by insurance.

The Geological and Natural History Society of the Dominion has presented a number of specimens of Canadian minerals to the Guelph High School.

A Rugby football match was played at Ottawa on Saturday between the second fifteen of the Brittanias of Montreal and the Ottawa College team. The latter won by one goal to nothing.

The Dominion government will take no steps to have Canada represented at the International Forestry exhibition at Edinburgh.

The Bellville school board will present a memorial to the Minister of Education urging that in the new series of readers to be introduced in the schools lessons of temperance be incorporated in them; also that the subject of hygiene be introduced. The West Huron Teachers' Association also decided to request the Minister to incorporate temperance lessons in the new series, and to make the study of these lessons compulsory.

The population of Canada according to the last census is 4,334,810. The native population is 3,725,502, and the foreign population, 689,218. Of the foreign population 30 per cent. are Irish, 23 per cent. English, 19 per cent. Scotch and 13 per cent American. The foreigners make up 13.92 per cent. of the whole population of Canada, being almost precisely the percentage in the United States, which is 13.32. There are thirty-seven Irish-born persons for every thousand of the whole population in the United States, and forty-three to the thousand in Canada. Canadians constitute 1.43 per cent. of the population of the United States, while Americans make 1.79 per cent. of the population of Canada.

Successful Advertising.

The most prosperous business men in the world are those who use printers' ink most freely, but at the same time judiciously. Advertising is a study, and must be carried on with a careful system, else fortunes can be squandered without any apparent good result. It is most unaccountable, however, to observe the propensity developed in some people to seek irregular and irresponsible mediums for advertising. Men often pay large sums for inserting their business cards in a section of a frame in a hotel, or in a street car, in a hotel register, or even in an almanac. The by-ways thus sought are innumerable, but in all such cases the party who pays for space, blindly ignores the most essential conditions necessary for successful advertising, namely, that tone, character and effect are imparted by the medium through which an advertisement is is presented to the reader. Advertisements put into irregular channels, never fail to impress the mind of the public that the concern so advertised is of a similar character. On the other hand, an advertisement put into a newspaper of first class standing, never fails to carry the impression that the advertiser has a position in his own community, which he is not afraid to show to his neighbors, and that he does not shrink from legitimate competition with the best of them. When a man wants to find a place to buy, whether for his own use or if he be a trader, he does not turn to a hotel register, to an almanac, to a section of a frame or to a directory. He very naturally looks at the most reputed daily newspapers of the place and he feels that advertisements in these, give an assurance of the good standing of the advertisers, of their enterprise and of the sufficiency of their stock. All persons who want to keep up with the constantly changing condition of the times, must advertise—must keep their business prominently and constantly before the public.

Fourth of July.

The exodus to Victoria last week gave evidence that there is a latent desire on the part of people in and around Seattle to "celebrate." When four or five hundred people go such a distance to do honor to the ruler of a foreign yet friendly nation, the indication is that a celebration, a holiday, is the panacea for their swelling and exuberant bosoms. Time is winging us toward a date which offers to our people the most sensible and reasonable opportunity for a celebration, in which they should not only enter with pleasure but with a patriotic enthusiasm. Of course the Fourth of July is alluded to. Let us not allow this coming anniversary to pass without a just and patriotic recognition. Make the day one of floating bunting, rational enjoyment, and the night brilliant with beautiful fireworks of modern day. Inaugurate at once a plan for the carrying out of these suggestions, and make the programme of the day so elaborate that the towns along the Sound will depopulate themselves for this occasion and Victoria, returning the compliment just paid, will send a large delegation to join in the festivities. The grounds around the race track would be a picnicing place and during the night the heights in the rear of the city could be illuminated with bonfires and fireworks. Let us have a Fourth "as is."—Seattle Sunday Star.

Fish Hatchery.

Work is steadily progressing on the fish hatchery which is being built by the Dominion government. It is located near the Fraser river, about three miles above New Westminster. A small stream of water running through the premises will convey the young fish to the river. The building is 120x40 feet, two stories high. The ground flour will be arranged with hatchery boxes, water tanks, &c., and the upper story will be fitted up for dwelling apartments and shops. The building will be ready for use about September next, and in September or October arrangements will be made for procuring the necessary amount of spawn. It is intended to hatch from six to seven million fish each year, and this amount, added to the natural supply of the Fraser, should in the course of a few years make a great difference in the catch of the local canneries. It will be about four years before the young salmon are large enough for market purposes.

Mr. Thos. Mowat, who is at present superintending the fitting up of the establishment, has had about fourteen years experience in the business in Restigouche, New Brunswick.

The cost of the building will be $4500 and the complete outfit will cost about $7000. Messrs. Moore & Chisholm, of this city are the contractors.

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Arrival and Departure of Steamers.

FOR PORT TOWNSEND and all points on the Sound—The Olympian and North Pacific leave alternate mornings at 8 o'clock, making close connection with the N. P. R. R. at Tacoma.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER—The Yosemite and Western Slope leave alternate mornings at 7 o'clock.

FOR NANAIMO—The R. P. Rithet leaves Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 a.m., returning on the alternate days.

FOR BURRARD INLET AND PORT MOODY—The Robert Dunsmuir leaves on Tuesday at 5 a. m. and on Monday of next week for Burrard Inlet and Comox.

Amusements To-Night.

At Philharmonic Hall—"The Robber's Wife," by the Amateur Dramatic Company.

BLAINE AND LOGAN.

The nomination of the Hon. Jas. G. Blaine, for president of the United States, at the national convention at Chicago last week, and the selection of Hon. John A. Logan of Illinois, for vice president, will meet with the hearty approval of republicans in whatever part of the country. To be sure there was an element of the party that was opposed to Blaine. It intimated for months previous that he was a dangerous man; that being a bold man and a radical leader he could not be fully and implicitly trusted. This opposition, since the breach with Roscoe Conkling has been healed up, has come from the George William Curtis wing. Curtis has been ably seconded during the past year by Roosevelt, a talented and wealthy young lawyer of only twenty-eight. But, however Curtis may have persuaded the latter to enlist with him, one thing is pretty clear, both belong to the class prone to be dissatisfied—to protest against the powers that be. They have prophesied destruction to the party if Blaine was nominated, saying in extenuation that the republicans cannot elect a president without New York, which, as they argue, will not go for Blaine. But, notwithstanding the long years of warfare which Mr. Curtis has waged against the Maine statesman in New York, he has at last received the nomination. He is an exceedingly able man, and, especially among the young republicans, who are really the backbone of the party, he is being received with the most intense enthusiasm. He has long been their favorite, as he has been also of the majority of the early republicans, when it took firmness of conviction to be one at all. Logan, like Blaine, will enlist great enthusiasm. Carrying numberless scars received from Confederate bullets during the war of the rebellion, he will receive the vote of every patriotic union man, whose sympathies were upon the side of the union during the contest. There are a good many democrats also, who admire both the nominees for their splendid prowess, for their strong qualifications gained through extensive experience, and will vote for them. They admire brave and undaunted men, and Blaine and Logan are the best American types of this class. They will march on to victory. Whoever the presidential nominee of the democrats may be—whether McDonald of Indiana, or Tilden of New York—he cannot bring to his aid enough votes to anywhere approach Blaine. The opposition of Curtis, although it may be effectual in the Empire state, is destined to be feeble as a whole, and to fall short of its mark. Blaine and Logan are too firmly implanted in the hearts of modern republicans to allow themselves to be swerved by an antagonism born of jealousy and bad feeling.

INFLUENCE OF EXAMPLE

How much easier it is for us all to remember what we see, rather than that which we hear; how much deeper an impression is made by what we have seen than by what we have heard. Especially is this so with the young who are constantly gleaning knowledge through the eye. It seems as if even little children unconsciously imitate what they see, insensibly becoming like those with whom they mingle. Thus good example in the household becomes all important—as home influence is immensely greater in forming the character of our future men and women, than all the teachings of our best schools of learning. Even the silent acts of a parent leaves an impress on the character of the child which time may never remove. The same maxims and principles are true through every grade of life. If the source of pure or the opposite, the effect either on public or private society will prove to be tainted or otherwise. The influence of home training and example can not be over estimated even in the most trivial affairs, as it is constantly interweaving, blending with and contributing in forming, and moulding the characters and lives of others, for better or for worse. Mothers are the first instructors and trainers of the young mind, and they most generally are the best they ever have.

LAND GUIDE.

The employment of a land guide for immigrants is to be commended, or half a dozen guides if necessary. The country is not half peopled, and it is no use getting people to come if we do not care for them on arrival. Immigration is the joint concern of the Dominion and Provincial Governments constitutionally, and a subject of the greatest interest to persons already settled in the Province. The Province cannot do its part in a better way than by appointing land guides and agents in localities, whether the new comers settle on railway or provincial lands. In Vancouver Island there are no lands that will be exclusively railway lands until four years have passed. For agricultural purposes the lands in the railway belt are open to pre-emption by actual settlers, and are administered by the Provincial Government, which is entitled to charge expenses, including the cost of land guides, against the proceeds of the land, before the money is paid over to the railway contractors. For our halfpenny thus, we get our halfpenny worth.

ADVANTAGES OF AFTERNOON PAPERS.

In a town like Victoria when the hurry and bustle of so many households begin with the early noon, the morning paper is seldom read, for lack of time. Among all classes, and in all social conditions, people now have more time and are getting more into the habit of quietly perusing an afternoon paper which contains all that has transpired up to the hour of going to press, placed fresh in the hands of subscribers at a time when the news of the paper issued in the morning would be old and stale. After the labors of the day are over, most of the readers have leisure to sit and rest their wearied bodies, and, as they rest, refresh their minds by reading all the events that are occurring in the great world from which they are somewhat isolated. It requires no stretch of the imagination therefore, to perceive how a paper published in the afternoon can, and does meet the requirements of the greatest number of readers.

EDUCATE YOURSELF.

We are proud, and it is with some reason, of our system of public education, but a word of warning to those who benefit by it may be in place. They should not imagine that they have done with education when they leave school at fourteen or fifteen, and that there is no further need of study and educative reading. The time spent at school is only a preparatory stage, little better than lost time, indeed, if what it should lead up to, namely, self-education, is not afterwards undertaken. The years of boyhood's eve, say from fourteen to eighteen, are very important ones. They end in manhood, and if the interval has not been well used what sort of man appears from an educational point of view as the result of the primary education he has enjoyed? Our system is too young yet to be fairly judged, but while good in its way we know that the same kind of education elsewhere produces middling fruit, unless followed by strenuous self-education. Let the young, therefore, lay this to heart or they will be ill-informed, narrow, mentally inactive men, to whom the full life and higher pleasures which real education opens to all, will be forever unknown.

The sale of lands in the northwest by the Canadian Pacific Railway during May aggregates sixty-five thousand acres. Last May the sales were only sixteen hundred, whilst the sales for the year were thirty-three thousand acres. Prices ranged from $2.50 to $7.50 per acre. Hon. Donald A. Smith, who has just returned from England, reports that the interest in Canada is unabated there. He says the stock of the Canadian Pacific is being rapidly absorbed by English investors, who are taking advantage of the present low quotations.

Hon. Mr Mowat, Premier of Ontario, and Attorney-General, Miller of Manitoba, have sailed for England to argue the boundary question before the Privy Council. In addition to these gentlemen, many eminent lawyers from Ontario are charged with briefs on behalf of Canada and Ontario. The case will be an interesting one, and as British Columbia expects to have a "brush" for her rights, the proceedings will be carefully watched in this Province.

TELEGRAPHIC.

A Terrific Explosion in Denver, Col., To-Day.

GORDON'S SISTER REFUSES TO ACCEPT RELIEF.

More Nihilists Arrested—The Yellow Fever Plague—Foreign Shipping—A Murderer Confesses, Etc'

THE NICARAGUA CANAL.

Terrific Explosion.

DENVER, June 10—The Giant Powder Company's magazine, containing 10,000 pounds tonite powder, located three and a half miles east of this city, exploded with terrible force, destroying a large number of plate fronts in the business portion of the city. The explosion wrecked a fine new farmhouse 300 yards distant. It was completely demolished, though the occupants escaped injury. No clue has been found as to the cause of the explosion.

Gordon's Sister Refuses Relief.

LONDON, June 10.—Gordon's sister has refused money for the relief of her brother. She says Gordon being a British subject it devolves upon the government to give relief.

Concerning Chinese Immigration.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—The Treasury Department is informed that in some instances certificates, as provided by section 4, May 6th, have been granted Chinese laborers at points other than of exit to laborers from the United States and such certificates have been given the Chinese merchants. Under this practice duplicate certificates may sometimes be granted, one at the first port and one at the port of exit, and one, at least, of these has been fraudulently used to obtain admission into the United States. Chinese laborers are not entitled to that privilege the custom officers, therefore, have been instructed to confine the issue of documents to Chinese laborers who depart directly for foreign parts, and to refrain from issuing them to laborers who intend going to China or any other foreign country by some other part of the United States, or to Chinamen who are not laborers.

Notable Death.

BOSTON, June 10.—Samuel B. Gregory, commander in the navy, died Saturday, aged 71.

The Democratic Convention.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—At Stockton the democratic state convention, which meets here to-day, was called to order by John H. Wise.

Motion Adopted for Adjournment.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—In the House, to-day, the motion of the chairman of the committee of ways and means, that the current resolution providing for the adjournment of Congress on Monday, June 30th, at 3 p.m., was adopted without division.

Defaulting Cashier.

WILMINGTON, June 10. Cashier Hall, Citizens Bank, is defaulter. Amount unknown. The bank is alleged sound.

Yellow Fever in Mississippi.

NEW YORK, June 9.—In view of the fact that it is now too late to erect the necessary hospital and quarantine buildings at the mouth of the Mississippi river, for use during the present season, and as that time is now rapidly approaching in which the yellow fever at infected points has assumed its greatest and most malignant violence, the Louisiana state board of health to-day adopted resolutions recommending the government to establish the quarantine resolutions issued May 31, so as to require a period of forty days' detention of all vessels and persons coming from ports therein named, to take effect July 10, and continue in force until revoked.

Suspension of the Whisky Pool.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, June 9.—Senator Stevens will to-morrow issue circulars announcing the indefinite suspension of the whisky export association known as the whisky pool.

More Nihilists Arrested.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 9.—One hundred persons were arrested at Kees to-day on charge of being Nihilists. There were forty army accessories among the number. Two hundred arrests were also make at Charca.

A Murderer Confesses.

VIENNA, June 9.—In the trial of Shilenoter to-day he confessed the murder of Block, which was committed for furtherance of anarchast designs, but denied that he was concerned in the number of Baker Isurt.

Treaty Accepted.

LONDON, June 9.—King John of Abyssinia has accepted the treaty prepared by Hewitt.

The Nicaragua Canal.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—It has been reported for several weeks that Secretary Frelinghuysen had under consideration the policy of acquiring certain concessions from Nicaragua for constructing a navigable waterway across that country, from ocean to ocean, and the matter has been the subject of discussion by himself and President Arthur, and also by other members of the cabinet. It is understood that the subject has recently taken more definite form, the secretary requiring a sum of money, about $200,000, for carrying his views into effect, recently communicated with the senate on the subject. The matter was under consideration by the senate in session to-day, but no conclusion was reached.

House of Commons.

LONDON, June 10.—In the house of Commons to-day Fitzmaurice, under foreign secretary, stated that representative touching the duty of friendly powers regarding dynamiters was addressed the government at Washington. No reply has been received yet.

Foreign Shipping Notes.

LONDON, June 9.—Arrived out City of Chicago, State of Georgia and Republic from New York.

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WANTED.—A steady, active middle-aged woman to go to Seattle as general housemaid, with reference from last place; must be a good washer and ironer; Scandinavian preferred. Address, Mrs. L. B., TIMES office, Victoria.

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WANTED—Apprentices; also, competent dressmakers, wanted at Miss Davey's, Fashionable Dressmaker, Government Street, near Trounce Alley.

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ch					7 A. M.	
Cowichan	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Burgoyne Bay			7 A. M.			
Maple Bay	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Vesuvius Bay	7 A. M.				7 A. M.	
Chemainus	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Nanaimo	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	

FRASER RIVER ROUTE.

FROM VICTORIA FOR	MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WED'SDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURD'Y
Ladner's Landing		7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.
New Westminster	7 A. M.	7 A. M.	7 A. M.	7 A. M.	7 A. M.	7 A. M.
Port Hammond		7 A. M.			7 A. M.	
Plumper Pass					7 A. M.	

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NOTE—Steamers leaving Victoria Tuesdays and Fridays connect at New Westminster for Hope and all way landings.
FOR BURRARD INLET AND PORT MOODY.—The steamer Robert Dunsmuir sails from Spratt's wharf Tuesday at 5 a. m.
FOR PORT SIMPSON AND WAY PORTS—Steamer "Otter," Captain Meyer, will sail from Spratt's Wharf on Wednesday, June 11th, at 5 p. m.
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LOCAL NEWS.

An Important Supreme Court Decision.

DEATH OF THOMAS PRICE, THE WELL KNOWN PIONEER.

A Wharf Catches Fire—A Baby in a Box—The Royal Hospital—Fast Time—Various Theatrical Matters—Woman's Temperance Meeting.

REPAIRS ON THE MEXICO.

The Amateur Dramatic Co.

A large audience were present at Philharmonic Hall last night to witness the presentation of the drama, the "Robber's Wife," by the Amateur Dramatic Company, composed of the crew of H. M. S. Constance. The performers acquitted themselves very well. Mr. J. F. Wrate as Briarly, father to Rose; D. Collins, as Mark Redland, the heavy villain; Holloway, as Penfaddle, the lawyer; and Brookman, as Larry O'Gig, all performed their parts in a highly creditable manner. There was enough of the tragic in the play to make the humorous part of it the more appreciable. It is well balanced and calculated to please the masses. Other performers did equally as well as those mentioned. A song "Still Upon Guard," by H. Mears, and a hornpipe by F. Milner, were received with a great deal of applause, encores for the latter being frequent. An amusing little farce was presented as the closing feature. To-night the performance will be repeated at the same place. It is in aid of local charities, and, considering its object and the merit of the amateur dramatists, a large audience should also be in attendance to-night.

Uncle Tom's Cabin Co.

The original Boston Uncle Tom's Cabin Company are en route to this city on the Queen of the Pacific. Their advance agent, Mr. F. M. Daly, has made arrangements for their appearance at Philharmonic hall on Thursday and Friday evenings next. There are twenty-five performers of note in the troupe, among the number being Ben Franklin, the celebrated colored comedian; two Topseys, six bloodhounds, the South Carolina jubilee singers, and almost as many colored plantation singers. The bills show an endless variety of programme, nearly every feature of which strikes the reader as being of unusual consequence. Those who desire to witness a really good entertainment of this sort would do well to remember that only two nights are afforded the public here. Reserved seats at M. Waitt & Co.'s.

A Wharf Catches Fire.

Yesterday afternoon a man while walking on Turner, Beeton & Co's. wharf, carelessly threw away a cigar which he had been smoking. The cigar lodged in a crack between two planks, and in a short time the wood ignited. Luckily there were a number of persons on the wharf, some of whom noticed the smoke, and an employee on the Eliza Anderson brought some water and extinguished the fire. With the wind that was blowing yesterday, it is almost impossible to form an idea of the number of buildings, and other property, which would have been destroyed if the small fire had not been discovered. It would appear that the civic authorities, and the owners of the property, would be warranted in taking unusual steps to prevent such risks during this very dry season.

Mechanics Literary Institute.

We are sure the announcement which appeared in the recent annual report of this institution, that an order for the purchase of books for addition to the library, amounting to some $500, now on its way to London, would be received with much satisfaction, inasmuch as it would meet a great requirement, and more especially would it be gratifying as the committee had fortunately secured the kind offices of the late President, Dr. Ash, on the occasion of his being in England, to make the selection. We shall be at all times ready to give publicity to the operations and progress made of this excellent institution, and have noticed with much satisfaction the statements recently made in the Annual report of its condition and prospects.

The Pleasures of Boating.

During each evening, for more than a week past, many young people took occasion to go boat riding. The weather has been delightful. The water has been, as it nearly always is, smooth as glass, and the consequence is that the evening rides have been exceedingly pleasant. It is probable that at no other city in the Northwest will so many people of all ages participate in the pleasures of the oar and sail.

DeVivo Opera Company Coming.

The De Vivo Opera and Concert Company will shortly make a professional tour of Oregon, Washington Territory and British Columbia with first class talent. Signor Baldanza, tenor of the troupe, is one of the best tenors now living. The other members of the company are highly spoken of and it looks as though the people of Victoria would have an opportunity of seeing and hearing a musical entertainment of unusual merit.

Those Fine Halibut.

Did anybody ever see finer halibut than are caught in these waters, and are placed before guests at every hotel in the city? If they have seen superior fish of this sort then they must have been found in waters that most people know not of. The other fish displayed at the stands for sale are very fine also. In fact, few places can make as good a piscatorial showing as Victoria.

Repairs on the Mexico.

The last of the brass sheeting which was torn off the steamer Mexico about two weeks ago at Seattle, was put on yesterday morning at the outer wharf. The work has been done a little at a time by a diver, at each arrival here. The sheeting was torn off on the wreck of a sunken steamer at Seattle.

The Churches.

The sermons delivered at the various churches on Sunday and Sunday night were of unusual interest. Several of them dealt with leading subjects of the day, and were handled in such a way as to hold the attention and instill wholesome truths. The audiences were, at most of the churches, good sized.

Supreme Court Land Case.

In the case of Johnston against Clark this morning, His Lordship, the Chief Justice, delivered judgment in favor of the plaintiff. The question in dispute was as to the true boundary line between lots 202 and 376, at Port Moody, and the quantity of land involved amounted to about 22 acres, valued at upwards of $35,000.

Mr. Drake, Q. C., and Mr. Walls, instructed by Mr. Hett, appeared for the plaintiff, and the Attorney-General and Mr. T. Davie, instructed by Mr. Pooley, for the defendant.

Farms Sold.

The two farms of Mr. John Heal have been sold to Mr. May, a newcomer in the province. On the farms are about ninety acres under cultivation and one house, two barns and a stable. The price received was about $46,000.

Death of a Pioneer.

News was received here this morning that Thomas Price, the well-known pioneer of Victoria, had died last evening of heart disease at La Conner, whither he went on the 29th ult., with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. Davis, on a visit. Mr. Price was about 60 years of age, and came to British Columbia in 1859, being one of the original 130 royal engineers stationed at Derby, on the Fraser river. In '60 or '61, when the royal engineers disbanded, Mr. Price came to Victoria and resumed his trade as a tailor, in which line he was an expert. He pursued this business regularly afterward, and has been a resident here for some twenty-nine years. He was well liked, having made and retained many friends, who mourn his untimely taking off. He was Past Grand of Victoria No. 1, I. O. G. T., and Past Patrician of Vancouver lodge. He leaves a wife and several children, all of whom are grown. They live at the old home across James' Bay, and are left in very fair financial circumstances, as is stated. The body will be brought here and notice of burial service will be given at a later date.

PASSENGERS BY THE QUEEN.

The following passengers are aboard the Queen of the Pacific for this city, the steamer being expected to arrive here this evening:

Mrs Urquart	Mrs M V Hart
Mr S Margetson & wf	Mrs Brower
Arthur S Ward	A Storrs
J W Russell	J Brower
J J Shaughnessy	Miss H H Ward
Miss Cairns	Mrs Whitelaw & 2 chn
Miss Ross	Miss Adams
Miss Austin	Geo. Petit
Geo S Dearborn	R Gillis
H Warner	P Durbron
Mrs Plummer	C Gray
Mrs M Hall	Mrs L Burns

J McPaddon and Uncle Tom's Cabin Troupe

PERSONAL.

Marens Smith, Esq., C.E., of Ottawa, is in the city, and is registed at the Driard House.

F. M. Dalby, Esq., advance agent of the Boston Uncle Tom's Cabin Company, is registered at the Oriental.

T. F. Ladner, Esq., accompanied by his wife and daughter, arrived by the Western Slope yesterday.

Rev. A. B. Meldrum, who has been in Victoria for a brief time, left for his home yesterday by the Mexico.

Capt. Thos. Moekler and wife, and P. Moekler, a ship owner of Nova Scotia, are at the Oriental.

Robt. King, of Port Townsend, N. N. McKenzie, of Clover Valley, and G. Anderson, of Portland, are among late arrivals.

Capt. W. Jordon, of Nanaimo, has been in the city for several days past.

Dr. Lewis, of Port Gamble, and David Robertson, a well known gentleman of St. Paul, are at the Driard.

Mr. McBride, Supt. of the Provincial penitentiary, and J. Oppenheimer and wife, left here this morning on the Yosemite.

Mr. Pimbury, of Pimbury Bros., merchants of Nanaimo, left by the R. P. Rithet this morning.

Theo. Davie, Esq., M.P.P., and wife were passengers by the R. P. Rithet, which arrived from Nanaimo at 6:30 last evening.

Local Laconics.

A rifle shot, somewhere on Yates street, last evening, elicited considerable enquiry among citizens, but no one seems to know the cause.

A base ball match occurred on Beacon Hill Saturday afternoon between nine young men from James Bay and a picked nine from the city, the score standing 43 for the former and 10 for the latter, after nine innings.

Victoria Marine Matters.

The ship Astoria is loading coal at Wellington.

The bark Enoch Talbot and the ship Eclipse, both laden with coal, are en route to San Francisco.

The schooner Juanita arrived to day from Nanaimo with eighty tons of coal for Messrs. Hall & Goepel.

Efficient Advertising.

To show the advantages of short advertisements in THE TIMES, reference can be made to articles inserted in the "Wanted" column yesterday by a gentleman who desired to get a room. Before 10 o'clock to-day, at which time he got one to suit him, no less than ten answers had come in. The rule holds good in everything else. Advertise and meet with success.

A USEFUL CHURN INVENTED.—A mechanic in this city is at work on a new churn which he claims will be an improvement on all yet patented, as he will be able to regulate the temperature of the cream. A patent will shortly be applied for, and particulars will then be given.

TALL FLAG-STAFF.—Messrs. Moore & Chisholm have erected on Cormorant street, for the well known Chinese firm of Tai Chong Yuen, a flag-staff seventy feet high. It can be seen for a great distance in any direction.

GENERAL NOTICES.

Majolica Ornaments at the London Bazaar.

THE CLIMAX WASHING POWDER is the favorite. Sold by all grocers.

The B. C. Boot and Shoe Store is the leading house in the Province. H. Mansell.

BILLIARDS.—All lovers of this favorite game should go to the Garrick's Head to enjoy a pleasant time on the Brunswick and Balke tables.

The most simple, the easiest, quickest and most perfect Type Writer in the world is "The Remington." M. W. Waitt & Co., Agents for British Columbia.

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Y. W. C. T. U.

The entertainment given under the auspices of the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union last evening, was well attended, all the seats in Pandora street Hall being filled. The president, Mrs. Spofford, delivered a very forcible address, after which Mr. Prince, of H. M. S. Constance, sang a solo which was heartily encored. Mr. Mortimore referred to the four temperance organizations, and claimed that they were all working in harmony in the same great cause. The subject, "A Plea for Women," was discussed in an essay by Miss Sayyes. In answer to the popular contention that woman when engaged actively in the temperance movement, was usurping man's sphere, the fair essayist claimed 1st. That the magnitude of the evil impels women to action. A large percentage of the poverty and crime is directly chargeable to drinking habits. 2nd. The fact that woman is the chief sufferer calls for her most supreme efforts to check the evil. She might not be the direct victim of drink, but her's is the life of agony and suffering on its account. 3rd. The fact that the sterner sex had failed to check intemperance should be sufficient warrant for her to engage in the work. Short addresses were given by Messrs. Mortimore and Reid, and Rev. Mr. Watson. Miss Campbell rendered a very pleasing selection on the pianoforte, for which she received an encore. Mrs. Lee read an essay on the subject "What is Temperance." Reference was made to the effects which temperance produced on young men, mentioning that to a pure woman the knowledge that a young man indulged in intoxicants should cause a forfeiture of all claims of friendship. A duet by Mrs. Clyde and Mr. Meston, "Bring Me the Bowl," was well rendered, as was also a recitation, "The Life-boat."

Flower Thieves.

We hear many complaints of the theft of flowers from the little gardens around the houses of citizens. This is one of the newest kinds of theft, and we hope the police will be instructed to prevent it. It robs the eye and the heart of beautiful productions which men, and especially the women and children of a family, have nurtured for their personal enjoyment, and for use as emblems of kindness, civilities, pleasant memories and forgiven feuds. We cultivate them and create with clever fingers the garlands that we cannot grow. The coarse, idle, lazy sneak thief who opens our gates at night and steals our treasures, not that he has any feeling for them, but in most cases we opine that he may barter the flowers for whiskey. He is a meaner man, if possible, than the man who steals newspapers from the doors of citizens.

"The Resources" for June.

This valuable publication has just been issued, and contains a great amount of information respecting British Columbia, suitable for, and must prove interesting to emigrants. Typographically it presents a very handsome appearance. The excellent lithograph on the first page as a work of art is good, as is also a life-like representation of Robt. Dunsmuir, M. P. P. for Nanaimo district. It shows him to be a man of keen, quick perceptive faculties. This gentleman is of Scotch descent and a native of Burns' favorite county, Ayrshire, famed for "honest men and bonnie lasses." He possesses, in a high degree, those fine characteristics for which the people of that section are noted. His brilliant career is the best evidence that he possesses mother wit, determination and perseverance in no ordinary degree. His practical knowledge and experience, together with the active part he is now taking in the projected Island Railway, and the advantage it must prove to this country, with other interests he has now in view, must place him in a forward position in the ranks as a public benefactor. The successful career of such men should cause our youth to emulate their acts and never sneer at honest labor.

A BABY IN A BOX.

A Unique Indian Curiosity Forwarded to Frisco.

Yesterday a box on the wharf marked for shipment by the Mexico, attracted much attention. After the steamer sailed it was reported to contain a real live papoose, and that a young lady to whom it was consigned, is a leading society belle in the Bay city. It seems, so the story goes, that she wrote to a young man here to send her an Indian curio—something so unique as to excite the envy of all her friends. The young man purchased a papoose from the mother, but for some time he was at a loss as to how to forward it. He finally put the papoose and a five-gallon can of milk into a box just large enough to prevent the youngster from being tumbled around by the action of the vessel, and fitted the box up with padding and bedding. To the can he attached a tube, from which the baby can help himself to milk whenever so inclined. The air holes in the box were abundant, and as it is particularly under the charge of the purser the infant will probably reach its destination a bright baby. Whether or not the young lady will consent to receive him when he arrive, is what is now agitating the purser and freight clerk.

Hidden Hand Company.

The Hidden Hand Company arrived yesterday from the mainland, where they have been playing, and started across the Sound in the Eliza Anderson. This week they play in Portland and other cities.

Inspectors to Arrive Here.

Mr. N. Aubin, chief gas inspector for the Dominion, and N. I. Johnston, chief inspector of standards, are now making a tour of the northwest. Mr. Aubin will visit Victoria in a few weeks.

Fast Time.

The Queen of the Pacific, on her last trip down the coast from Victoria, arrived at San Francisco in the short time of fifty-two hours, the best record ever made by any boat on the said route.

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The Daily Times.

Victoria, Tuesday June 10, 1884.

A GOD AFTER ALL.

We laid in a cell, Mr. Judge, all night long,
Jimmie and me, wantin' and wishin' for the mornin' to dawn
'Cause we couldn't sleep, Mister Judge, in that cold, damp sleep;
And Jimmie was scared to death at the wild, mad race
That kept the rats runnin' all through the dark night;
That's why we were glad, Mr. Judge, to see the daylight.

Please, Mr. Judge, we are not very bad little boys,
And the policeman what took us said we're some mother's joys
He was wrong, Mr. Judge, and should only have said
That we are two little outcasts and our mother is dead;
And there's no one to care for us, at least here below,
And no roof that shutters us from the rain and the snow.

A preacher once told us that way up into the blue
There was a God that was watchin' all that little boys do;
And that He loved little children, and His love it was free;
But I guess, Mr. Judge, He don't love Jimmie or me,
For I prayed and prayed till I was most out of breath
For something to eat and keep Jimmie from death.

And that's why we're here, Mr. Judge, for you know,
There was no help from above, I must find it below.
'Twas no use boggin' and be told in God I must trust,
For I'd begged all the day, and got not even a crust;
And there was poor Jimmie holdin' his cold feet,
And cryin' and moanin' for something to eat.

And a table was settin' right close to the door
Just loaded with pies, about twenty or more.
So I quickly slipped in and grabbed one to my breast
The policeman then caught us—and you know the rest.

Discharged, did you say, Mr. Judge? both Jimmie and I?
And—and we ain't got to be jailed 'cause I took a pie?
And we can eat all we want? how funny 'twill seem—
Say, Jimmie, pinch me—for I think it's a dream,
And you'll give us work summer, winter and fall;
Say, Jimmie, I think there's a God after all!

Mrs. Blaine.

[Washington Letter.]

Mrs. Blaine is a finely educated woman. She was a Yankee schoolmistress in Kentucky when Blaine met her. Blaine had just graduated at Washington college, and went to Kentucky to commence life as a schoolteacher. His school was very near that of his wife's, and the two struck up quite a friendship. Mrs. Blaine at this time, however, was somewhat romantic, and she refused to tell her future husband anything about her parentage or her circumstances. Blaine's love finally conquered all scruples and he proposed. Shortly after this school broke up and the Yankee teacher went back to her home in Maine. Blaine followed her, found that her parents were in good circumstances, and married her. Shortly after this he went to live in Maine to oblige his wife, and so it comes to be "Blaine of Maine," instead of Blaine of Pennsylvania. Blaine first settled in Kennebec, where he edited a paper. While in the legislature he changed his residence to Augusta, where he still has a country home. Mrs. Blaine is thoroughly a domestic woman. She is tall, rather stout and dignified. She is not the politician that Mrs. Logan is, and her manners are earnest and practical. Her constant associate is Abigail Dodge, better known as Gail Hamilton. Miss Dodge likes society as well, perhaps, as any woman in Washington. She delights especially in small dinner parties where she can have a chance to talk, and talk she does very well, indeed. If Blaine is elected president, Gail Hamilton will be quite a factor at the White House, and she will assist Mrs. Blaine in doing the honors of the executive mansion.

A Heroine and Avenger.

[Detroit Free Press.]

Mrs. Mackey's act in burning her portrait painted by Meissonier rises to the height of heroism, and avenges the whole world of non-artistic people. Think of the snubs that some suffering man has endured, who, unmindful of the despotic ethics of art, inquired of the artist: "Is that picture for sale?" or "How much do you ask for that picture?" Think of the hours of agony when some miserable mortal, who could only appreciate an oil painting on the roof of a house, has stood absorbed, rapt, dazed, before a great picture by some noted foreign artist, and couldn't tell for his life whether it was a cow or a landscape!

And how many inartistic souls have sunk into their boots at the fateful terms, high art and low art, and racked their brains to know what "tones" could be got out of a silent canvas. And now a woman has dared to burn a Meissonier! Called it a daub, and declared it was only fit for kindling fuel, and wouldn't give it house room! Art centers are filled with horror, and well they may be, at such a departure from old traditions. Had Mrs. Mackey been art wise and art soulful, with an inborn appreciation of the value of pictures painted with brains, she would have made another fortune by simply placing that picture on exhibition. And the more obscure and shadowy and long drawn out, and the less like herself, the more people would have fallen down and worshiped it. As it is, she has distinguished herself, and her name will go down to posterity as the woman who dared, not only to criticise art, but to burn it, when it failed to please her.

The Love of Perfumery.

[New York Mail and Express.]

A lady recently paying a visit to a noted modiste in this city, remarked a delightful odor, like violets, pervading the atmosphere of the long "display parlor." Not seeing any flowers to account for it, the lady made inquiry, and was told, to her surprise, that the scent proceeded from a dress which was adjusted to a "dummy" figure standing near. Looking puzzled still, it was explained that the intended wearer, when sending the material to the dressmaker, had also enclosed a small sachet of orris root powder mixed with heliotrope, which she desired might be sprinkled between the lining and the material composing the bodice, and also introduced in any available situation in the skirt of the dress. This love of perfumery is considered an evidence of refinement; that is, if it is not carried too far, and provided also the very best extracts only are used. In the open air a waft of some delicate perfume is delightful, but in crowded rooms, where ventilation is neglected or insufficient, the effect of much perfume is nauseating and vulgar. Violet de Caroline, or Mignonette, are considered first choice by those who have made the many extracts something of a study.

Taste in Wall Paper.

[Chicago News.]

The people of refined taste just now have a decided leaning for paper of a mild, subdued color, such as ocher, yellow, chrome, straw, olive green, perfectly plain and smooth. This covers the body of the room, while borders of various widths run around it, a few feet from the floor, some handsome designs worked out in it in livelier colors, so as to harmonize with the main color, however. Gold, yellow, dull reds, pompeian red, dull blues, and green are the leading colors. Tapestry and leather are still considered the "zoniest" thing, perhaps largely because they are the most expensive. Japanese papers, that is, done in Japanese style, are also quite in vogue. However, generally speaking, individual taste plays a more and more important part in the interior decoration of a house, even in the matter of wall decoration.

Ground-hog day: Sausage for breakfast.

FULTON FISH MARKET.

A Morning Scene in the Busy Billingsgate of New York.

Carloads of Wriggling Cod.—A Horde of Fishmongers Crowding and Jostling for Bargains—Outside the Mart.

[New York Times.]

The best time—in fact, the only time—to see the New York Billingsgate in all its excitement and tumult is between 4 and 9 o'clock on a Friday morning; and a Friday morning during Lent is better than any other Friday morning. Though most other parts of the city are silent in slumber, here all is life and bustle. Here is a picture of the slip at 4 o'clock last Friday morning: The atmosphere cool and clear and the sky starry. Moored in a bunch at the end of the piers are a half score of belated fishing smacks waiting for daylight and the tide. The vessels bring in their fish on Wednesdays and Thursdays and drop them alive into the fish cars which float in the slip. They like to get out to sea again on Thursday night, in order to return in good season for the following week's market. There are some odd-looking craft in the group, of all sizes and builds. The dirty and dumpy sloop, almost as broad as she is long, and equally round at bow and stern, is hawsered close to the trim little smack with bolystoned decks, as trim as a new spring bonnet. Three open "punts" bob up and down on the water, the wriggling mass of eels on their bottoms looking slimy and hideous in the faint glare from the electric lights on the bridge. Brooklyn looms up, a big black shadow in the distance. Early as it is, a hundred venders' wagons are drawn up in line beneath the lamp-posts in South, Fulton, and Beekman streets. It is yet too early for buying, so the drivers huddle in the saloons and coffee shops.

Meanwhile a curious scene is going on in the slip. The surface of the water is covered with fish cars, floating boxes, about twelve feet square, with lattice-work bottoms and sides. Each car is filled with live fish. Sure-footed men, with rubber boots, lanterns, and nets, dart hither and thither, dragging the finny denizens of the deep into the open air and leaving them floundering and writhing on the platforms. In a short time the surface of the cars are covered with wriggling cod, weighing all the way from six to thirty pounds. Boys and men run along hitting them with stout sticks and piling them into baskets. The terrified creatures make frantic struggles to get back into their native element, but it is of no more use than for a pony fly to try and kick himself out of the meshes of a big spider's web. One or two fortunate fellows on the edge of the outer cars do succeed in rolling off into the water and disappear from view. As fast as the heaping baskets of dead and wounded fish are dragged to the rear others are hauled up to take their places. The baskets are quickly hoisted on creaking pulleys, and disappear into the fish-house, that bourn from which no fish ever returns.

It is broad daylight, the sloops are sailing away in the distance, the lights on the bridge are out, the Sound steamers are beginning to appear, and the city is waking up to another day of turmoil and traffic. By getting into an out-of-the-way nook of the market one can see the fish sold. The scene is animated and obstreperous. The ground floor is divided into stands all heaping with shiny fish, which noisy men are bidding off at auction. The horde of mongers crowd and jostle one another in their eagerness to get bargains like brokers on 'change. However they can manage to make themselves heard in the Babel-like storm raging around them is hard even for a fish peddler to understand. Burly men in dirty blouses push their way through the crowd and shovel the fish into huge scales. To do this without jagging them or cutting them in two is one of the tricks of the trade. There are scores of women among the buyers, hard-faced, loud-voiced women, some of them half-clad in men's garments, shouting, swearing, pushing, lifting, and bargaining as eagerly as the men. When three or four of them get into a quarrel, as is very frequently the case, the bystander gets an idea of the vast richness and resources of the English language of which he never before dreamed. A policeman's club is the only check to it. All kinds of fish are tossed into the scales—the mighty cod, the lordly turbot, the royal salmon, the large, white-bellied halibut, the toothsome haddock, the diminutive smelt, and the delicate shad. In one portion of the room bushels of clams are heaped in a bin, live crabs and lobsters tangle each other up in a zinc tray, and pots of prawns and shrimps are displayed to catch the eye—and the dollar.

For two hours a fierce war wages under the flaming gas-jets. The peddlers pile the fish up in their rickety wagons and the commission men grasp the shining silver in their greasy hands. Along one side of the building a swarm of men work like beavers, paying no regard to the buying and selling. They pack the fish in long boxes with powdered ice, and start them off in huge drays for the railway station. At the long sink, in one end of the room, young men flourish keen knives and dexterously "dress" a fish before a man can count twenty. Hungry-looking children and ragged women hang around the offal tubs ready to seize on anything edible which may be cast therein. If a harried peddler drops a herring in transit it is gone before he can turn around. It is noticeable that nearly every dealer has some specialty which is not to be found in any other stall. One man has an abundance of cod, but he hasn't any mackerel, while his neighbor on the right is disposing of them by the hundred. So another, who is roaring "halibut" at the top of his voice, shakes his head in despair when called upon for shad, and points to a sharp-faced Yankee who seems to monopolize the trade.

The scene outside the market is hardly less active than it is inside. South street, Beekman street, and Fulton street are jammed with wagons. The drivers of some are just as anxious to get away as others are to come, and they struggle vainly to get out of the block. A few skippers have thrust the bows of their vessels right up to the slip, and are selling their loads direct from the hold. Competition is fierce. "Here's yer herrin'," yelled a man with a wooden leg. "I'll fill the biggest basket yer can find in New York fer $1. As the early morning hours wear away prices drop somewhat. It will not do to have a stock left on hand. By 10 o'clock the market is in the hands of the scrubbers, who splash and splatter with a hose and coarse brooms. The zinc scales are cleaned, the tackle neatly coiled away, the flaring gas jets extinguished, the keen-edged knives put in leather sheaths, and the cod in the cars left to their repose. A few men wait around until afternoon to serve a chance tardy buyer.

Her "Noah's Ark."

[Cor. Cincinnati Enquirer.]

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[White River Junction Landmark.]

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